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THE RAINBOW'S RIVAL

Plant as early as possible for bloom next season.

## Evans Iris Gardens

P. O. Box 4011 CLEVELAND 23, OHIO DEAR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS, EVERYWHERE, THANK YOU! Your response to our 1952 offerings was most pleasing. We hope you will be rewarded with lots of first year blooms when the flowering season arrives.

Our garden has been moved to a larger tract where we are expanding activities to better meet your future requirements. The soil is Northern Ohio's fertile heavy clay loam, and with generous applications of bone meal and thorough cultivation should produce many fine rhizomes.

An invitation is extended to you and your friends to visit the gardens at 6690 Wilson Mills Road in Mayfield Village, just east of S.O.M. Center Road, and about fifteen miles east of Cleveland Public Square. Peak bloom is usually expected about the first week of June. Do come.

Clarence and Mary Evans

## TERMS OF SALE

Check or money order with your order for rhizomes, please. If you must send currency, be sure to send it registered mail.

Ohio residents should add the 3% State sales tax. No

tax on shipments to points outside Ohio.

Orders for \$3.00 or more will be shipped prepaid. On orders for less than \$3.00 please add 35c for packing and shipping expense. Exception: orders for \$3.00 that qualify for early order discount.

Discounts: —

On orders for \$10.00 or more you may deduct 10%. On orders for \$30.00 or more you may deduct 25%.

For Early Orders

If your order is post-marked before June 15th you may deduct an additional five per cent (see page 3 for further explanation). These discounts may be applied to all items in this catalog except the "Starter Collection" shown on page 3.

The prices in this list supercede all previous quotations.

Shipping season starts July 5th and ends Sept. 10th. We will try to ship on any specified date but would appreciate a few days leeway. Where no date is given we will ship in order received.

We will not substitute unless requested by you. If unable to furnish a variety we will refund your money promptly.

## STARTER COLLECTION

These seven outstanding prize winners will provide a beautiful range of color in any garden. They have been selected particularly for those who are just becoming interested in iris, or for use as a gift package to some of your gardener friends.

GREAT LAKES (light blue), WABASH (white and violet), GOLDEN MAJESTY (golden yellow), GUD-RUN (white), SABLE (dark blue-violet), CHINA MAID (pink blend), and MISSOURI (medium blue).

One each, labeled, for \$3.00. Three each, labeled, for \$7.50 postpaid. Sorry, no further discounts on this group.

No other collections are offered. No pictures, just the best rhizomes we know how to grow. We prefer to extend extra discounts, (see terms) and let you make your own selection of varieties.

### GARDEN CLUB ORDERS

Several members may group orders to enjoy the extra discounts. Ask for extra order forms so you can give name and mail address of each member with their selection of varieties. We will then handle same as if ordered direct, that is, we will acknowledge and ship direct to the member. The only condition is that all orders must come to us in one envelope with a listing-sheet summary signed by an officer of the Garden Club. While this will cost us extra, we are glad to provide this service that the rhizomes may arrive in better condition and without delay.

## SPECIAL EARLY ORDER DISCOUNT

Early orders help us in making our shipping schedule. In return, we are pleased to pass on to you an extra discount on all orders post-marked before June 15th. Here is how this discount should be applied. Prepare your order in usual manner and take five percent from the total. This will make our discount schedule for early orders read as follows:

On orders for exactly \$3.00 less 5%. Delivered, no penalty.

On orders for \$3.00 to \$9.99 less 5%.

On orders from \$10.00 to \$29.99 less 10% and 5%.

On orders of \$30.00 and over less 25% and 5%.

As Ohio State sales tax is based on net amount of purchase, Ohio residents should figure the discounts first and then add the 3% sales tax.

## ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

Royal Horticultural Society, London, Eng. R.H.S.

I.S. (E) Iris Society (England) American Iris Society A.I.S.

Societe National d'Horticulture de France S.N.H.F.

AM Award of Merit CM Certificate of Merit DM Dykes Memorial Medal FCC First Class Certificate HM Honorable Mention HC Highly Commended

Standards - The three upright petals S. F. Falls - The three drooping petals Low Intermediate - less than 18" high Intermediate - 18" to 29" high L. Int.

Int.

AMOENA: White or tinted white standards with colored falls.

BICOLOR: Light or medium standards and deeper contrasting falls.

BITONE: Two tones of the same color.

BLEND: Combination of two or more colors, one being yellow.

PLICATA: Stitched or stippled margin color on light background, (white, yellow, etc.)

SELF: A flower of uniform color throughout.

SUBSTANCE: Thickness of petals.

TEXTURE: Finish or sheen of the petals.

VARIEGATA: Yellow or near yellow standards with deeper colored falls that may be veined or have solid tones of brown, purple, or red.

When this little booklet has served your purpose, please pass it on to another flower lover; or, better still, send us names of those you think would like to receive a copy. We'll mail promptly.

Only clean, healthy rhizomes will be shipped. Growing habits of varieties are not always the same, and some rhizomes may be much smaller than others. Extra large rhizomes may not always be best; health and firmness are much more important.

## General Listings

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After the name of the variety, in parenthesis, is shown name of originator and the year registered. Next, blooming season: E, early; M, midseason; L, late; VL, very late; followed by average height of bloom, in inches. After the color description is listed special awards of iris societies.
ACTION FRONT (Cook '42) EM 36"
ALADDIN'S WISH (Murawska '45) M 36"
ALPINE GLOW (Kleinsorge '45) L 40"
AMANDINE (Douglas '46) L 36"
AMIGO (Williamson '34) M 34"
AMITY (Corey '44) M 36"
AND THOU (Graves '42) M 38"
ANNA WILLIAMSON (Cook '46) M 36"
ARAB CHIEF (Whiting '44) VL 86"
ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest '48) M 38"
ARCTIC (Kleinsorge '40) M 40"

AZALEA (Nesmith '44) M 36"
AZTEC COPPER (Kleinsorge '40) M 38"
AZURE SKIES (Pattison '43) M 34"
BAGHDAD (Whiting '46) ML 36"
BALMUNG (H. Sass '39) M 38"
BANDMASTER (Hall '44) M 38"
BATAAN (Kleinsorge '42) M 36"
BERKELEY GOLD (Salbach '42) ML 38"
BERMUDA SAND (Hall '39) M 36"
BLACK BANNER (Nichols '47) ML 36"
BLACK FOREST (Schreiner '45) M 30"
BLUE RHYTHM (Whiting '45) LM 38"
BLUE SHIMMER (J. Sass '41) LM 36" 1.00 Waxy white plicata, well peppered clear blue. Blooms are large, fragrant. AM '44
BLUE VALLEY (Smith '45) M 36"
BROWN THRASHER (Kirkland '41) M 34" 1.00 Brilliant bronzy- brown. Good. AM '48

BRYCE CANYON (Kleinsorge) '44) ML 36"
BUCKSKIN (Kleinsorge) '39) ML 36"
BUFFAWN (Andrews '40) E 34"
BURNING BRONZE (Ayres '34) M 32"
BUTTERFLY WINGS (White '45) EM 36"
CALIFORNIA PEACH (Salbach '41) EM 38"
CAPTAIN WELLS (Cook '41) LM 36"
CAROLINE BURR (K. Smith '40) M 38"
CAROUSEL (Douglas '46) M 44"
CASA MORENA (DeForest '48) M 84"
CASCADE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge '44) L 38" 2.00 Blend of pink, apricot and tan. Ruffled. Heavy substance. AM '47
CASQUE D'OR (J. Sass '37) ML 36"
CHAMOIS (Kleinsorge '44) M 36"
CHANTILLY (Hall '43) M 36"
CHERIE (Hall '45) EM 34"

DREAMCASTLE (Cook '43) M 38" 2.00 Orchid pink self. Domed standards. Falls of unusual width with a near white beard. Lovely. AM '48
EASTER BONNET (Norton-Maxwell '43) M 38"75 Warm pink with standards and falls edged with gold. Golden beard and throat. HM '46
EASTER MORN (Essig '31) M 38"
ELMOHR (Loomis '42) ML 36"
ELSA SASS (H Sass '39) ML 36"
ESQUIRE (Lothrop '44) ML 44"
EXTRAVAGANZA (Douglas '43) L 36"
FAIR ELAINE (Mitchell '38) M 36"
FAIRY FOAM (Mitchell '48) M 30" 2.00 A very fine warm white, ruffled. HM '48
FIRECRACKER (Hall '43) M 32" 2.00 Yellow plicata, heavily stippled brilliant burgundy- red. HM '43
FLORA ZENOR (J Sass '41) EM 40"
FORTUNE (Kleingsorge '41) ML 42"
FRANK ADAMS (Lapham '37) M 44"
FRIEDA MOHR (Mohr-Mitchell '26) M 38"

GALLANT LEADER (Weisner '39) VL 40"
GARDEN FLAME (H Sass '41) ML 34"
GARDEN GLORY (Whiting '43) ML 32" 1.50  A very fine bordeaux-red. A slow grower, beautiful form. Dark bronze beard. AM '47
GLORIOLE (Gage '33) M 38"
GOLDBEATER (Kleinsorge '44) M 30"
GOLDEN FLEECE (J Sass '40) ML 40"
GOLDEN MAJESTY (Salbach '38) ML 38"
GOLDEN RUFFLES (Taylor '45) M 44"
GOLDEN RUSSET (Hall '46) M 38"
GOLDEN SPIKE (Whiting '40) EM 36" .50 Deep yellow with heavy orange beard. Good AM '42
GOLDEN TREASURE (Schreiner '36) M 38"
GOOD NEWS (Kleinsorge '46) M 38" 1.50 Rich golden brown or old gold self. It glistens. HM '47
GRAND CANYON (Kleinsorge '41) M 38"
GREAT LAKES (Cousins '38) M 40"
GUDRUN (K Dykes '30) EM 32"

GYPSY (Kleinsorge '44) L 38"
HARRIET THOREAU (Cook '44) M 38"
HELEN LOUISE (Lapham '51) M 36"
HELEN McGREGOR (Graves '46) M 36"
HIT PARADE (Hall '45) EM 32" 2.00 A large pink with deep tangerine beard. Good form and substance.
ICY BLUE (Weed '41) EM 42"
ILLUSION (Kleinsorge '43) VL 32"
INDIANA NIGHT (Cook '42) ML 38"
JASMINE (Grant '43) ML 38"
JEAN CAYEUX (Cayeux '31) M 34"
JULIET (Kleinsorge '46) EM 36" 1.50 Blend of flame-copper and salmon. HM '47
JUNALUSKA (Kirkland '34) EM 38"
KATHERINE FAY (Fay '45) M 36"
LADY BOSCAWEN (Graves '46) M 40"

LADY MOHR (Salbach '44) EM 36"
LAKE GEORGE (K Smith '43) ML 38" 1.00 Soft blue-violet, light yellow beard. Flaring falls. HM '45
LAKE HURON (J Sass '41) M 36"
LAMPLIGHT (Schreiner '44) M 34"
LIGHTHOUSE (Salbach '36) ML 34"
LIGHTS ON (Lapham '46) M 33"
LORD DONGAN (K Smith '40) M 36"
LOTHARIO (Schreiner '42) M 34"
LYNN LANGFORD (Hall '46) M 36"
MAJENICA (Cook '41) M 36"
MARY VERNON (McKee '41) M 36"
MASTER CHARLES (Williamson '43) M 38"
MATTERHORN (J Sass '38) M 36"
MELANIE (Hill-son '41) M 40"

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MELITZA (Nesmith '40) M 38"
MELLOWGLOW (Whiting '42) EM 36"
MEXICO (Kleinsorge '43) M 36"
MING YELLOW (Glutzbeck '38) M 36"
MINNIE COLQUITT (H Sass '41) M 36"
MISS CALIFORNIA (Salbach '37) M 42"
MISSOURI (Grinter '33) M 36"
MISTY GOLD (Schreiner '43) ML 33"
MODISTE (Hall '38) M 38"
MOHRSON (White '35) ML 34"
MOONLIGHT MADONNA (J Sass '42) M 36"
MOROCCO ROSE (Loomis '37) ML 36"
MOUNT WASHINGTON (Essig '37) M 44"
MT. McKINLEY (Schreiner '47) EM 38"
MULBERRY ROSE (Schreiner '41) M 40"

PINK RUFFLES (K Smith '40) M 26" Int
PINK TOWER (Muhlestein '48) EM 38" 2.00 Very large light pink. Sister to Pink Formal
PRAIRIE SUNSET (H Sass '39) M 36" 1.00 A rich blend of sunset colors, peach, apricot, rose, copper and gold. AM '41 DM '43
PRISCILLA (Whiting '42) M 31" .75  Very pure cold white. Vigorous in growth. Excellent substance. AM '47
PURISSIMA (Mohr-Mitchell '27) M 38"
PURPLE MOOR (Lapham '47) ML 36" 2.00 Glossy rich purple self.
RADIANT (Salbach '36) M 38"
RAMESES (H Sass '29) M 28" Int40 S. Light russet. F. Tourmaline pink. AM '31 DM '32
RANGER (Kleinsorge '43) L 36" 150 Deep crimson-red self. Orange beard. Fragrant. AM '46
REBELLION (Kleinsorge '37) M 23" Int 50 Glowing deep blood-red self.
RED GLEAM (Lapham '39) ML 34"
RED TORCH (H Sass '45) M 34"  S. Gold bronze. F. Velvety red without haft markings. Brilliant variegata. Vigorous. HM '47
RED VALOR (Nichols '39) ML 36". 1.00 Garnet-red self. Fragrant. Brown beard. AM '43
REDWARD (Cook '42) M 34" 2.00 Snappy crimson-red of fine quality. Very fragrant. HM '45
RELENTLESS (Cook '48) ML 38" 3.00 A new deep red self. Good substance. HM '50
REMEMBRANCE (Hall '42) ML 38"

ROCKET (Whiting '45) M 36" 2.00  Deep orange-yellow self. Brilliant, good form, heavy substance. AM '47
ROSE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge '47) M 36"
ROSY WINGS (Gage '35) M 46"
ROYAL SCOT (Hall '44) M 36"
RUBIENT (Whiting '41) M 36"
RUTH POLLACK (H Sass '39) ML 36"
SABLE (Cook '38) M 36"
SAN FRANCISCO (Mohr-Mitchell '27) M 36"
SHARKSKIN (Douglas '42) M 38"
SIEGFRIED (H Sass '36) ML 42"
SIERRA BLUE (Essig '32) ML 44"
SNOQUALMIE (Brehm '38) M <b>36"</b>
SNOW CARNIVAL (Graves '40) M 38" 1.00 Huge pure white, ruffled. AM '44
SNOW FLURRY (Rees '39) EM 48"

SNOW VELVET (H Sass '42) M 38"
Always a favorite. HM '42
SOLID MAHOGANY (J Sass '43) M 38"
SONRISA (DeForest '41) M 38"
SPINDRIFT (Loomis '29) ML 34"
SPUN GOLD (Glutzbeck '40) ML 38"
STAINED GLASS (Wilhelm '39) M 36"
SUZETTE (Knowlton '43) EM 38"
SYLVIA MURRAY (Norton '44) EM 38" 1.00 Clear light blue. Fragrant. Good form. AM '49
TEA ROSE (Whiting '44) M 36"
THE ADMIRAL (Hall '41) ML 36"
THE CAPITOL (Maxwell-Norton '44) EM 38" 1.00 Cream-white with flaming orange beard. AM '51
THE RED DOUGLAS (J Sass '37) ML 38"
THREE CHEERS (Cook '45) M 38"
THREE OAKS (Whiting '43) ML 38"
THREE SISTERS (DeForest '41) M 38"

Cream plicata. S. Creamy buff. F. Cream-white with speckled brown border. AM '46
TIFFANY (H Sass '38) M 34"
TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge '41) M 34" 2.00 Golden tobacco-brown self. AM '46
TOKEN (Hall '36) M 36"
TRANQUIL MOON (Cook '48) M 38
TREASURE ISLAND (Kleinsorge '37) L 36"
VATICAN PURPLE (Whiting) '40 L 38"
VICE REGAL (Groff '41) M 33"
VIOLET CROWN (Kirkland '31) EM 36"
VIOLET SYMPHONY (K Smith '40) M 40"
WABASH (Williamson '36) M 36"
WEIRDIE (Craig '49) M 34"
WHITE WEDGEWOOD (Grant '42) M 36"
WILLIAM MOHR (Mohr '25) M 27" Int
WINTER CARNIVAL (Schreiner '41) M 38" 1.00 Snow white with touch of gold at throat. Beautiful. HM '42

TIFFANJA (DeForest '42) M 40"

## OLD TIME FAVORITES

Here we list some of the older varieties which are still in popular demand. Do not let the low price mislead you. These are good iris and will provide fine flowering clumps. The low price is made possible because they have been on the market for a longer time and are in generous supply. Each rhizome will be properly labeled. Purchases in this group may be combined with your selections from the "General Listings" to qualify for quantity discount.

40c each. Three of one variety \$1.00. Twenty-five or more all different or in groups, 30c each.

AIRY DREAM - Soft clear pink AM (RHS) '38

ALICE HARDING - Soft satin yellow DM (France) '33
AM '27

ALTA CALIFORNIA - Deep yellow, faintly bronzed. Strong grower. HM '36

AMBROSIA - Light pink and silvery white with golden beard.

AVATAR - S. Buff F. Pansy violet. Fragrant. AM '29

BLACK WINGS - Deep prune-purple. AM '33

BLUE VELVET - A blue-violet self. Velvety.

BUECHLEY GIANT - Soft medium blue

CALIFORNIA GOLD - Rich golden yellow with a hint of brass. AM '37

CHALLENGER - Dark purple to blackish violet HM '33

CLARA NOYES - Blend of peach and apricot AM '32

CORALIE - Raspberry-pink blend. DM IS(E) '33 HM '32 DM '33

CORONATION - Deep yellow. Does not fade.

DAUNTLESS - Glowing red self, velvety falls. AM (RHS) '38 DM '29

DEPUTE NOMBLOT - Coppery-red and dusky bronze. CM (SNHF) DM IS(E) '30 AM '36

DESTINY - Very dark plum-purple. Bronze Medal. IS(E) '34 AM(RHS) '38

DOGROSE - Delicate soft pink, golden beard.

DR. CHAS. E. MAYO - Red toned bicolor. Fragrant.

GLEAM - Sky-blue self.

GRACE STURTEVANT - Red-brown with deep red falls. FCC(RHS) '32

INDIAN CHIEF - S. Violet-red. F. Reddish-purple.

INDIAN HILLS - A true purple self. Good form and substance.

JANE WILLIAMSON - A blend of pink pastel, gold and maroon

JEB STUART - Red-brown tones AM '35

JERRY - Bright red

KING MIDAS - Golden yellow self. Radiant. AM (RHS) '34

KING TUT - S. Brownish F. Velvety red, glowing

LOS ANGELES - Satin white plicata with sky-blue stitching. AM'44

MADAME LOUIS AUREAU - A most unusual plicata. Silvery-white dotted and stitched heliotrope. CM(SNHF) '34 DM(F) '34 AM '39

MARY GEDDES - Orange salmon with pompeiian-red overlay. AM (RHS) '33 DM IS (E) '35 AM '33

MIDWEST GEM - Peach-buff with a flush of pink, nicely ruffled. HM '37

MRS. VALERIE WEST - S. Lavender-bronze. F. Crimson, AM (Haarlem) '30 FCC (RHS) '33

NARANJA - Deep yellow, near orange. AM '37

NENE - Lilac and old rose CM (SNHF) '32

NUMA RUMESTAN - Uniform rich amaranth red.

NYMPH - Empire yellow. Free flowering.

OMAHA - Bright red, orange beard.

OREGON SUNSHINE - A fine pale yellow.

PALE MOONLIGHT - Soft pale blue self. Not too hardy. HM '33

PAULETTE - Light blue.

PICADOR - S. Yellow-buff. F. Dark rose-red, edged lighter. AM (RHS) '39

PINK SATIN - Satin pink. Commanding. HM '31

PLUIE D'OR - Solid golden yellow self. AM (Haarlem)
'31 DM (F) '28 AM (RHS) '38

PRESIDENT PILKINGTON - Blend of blue, buff and rose tones. CM & Spec. Prize (SNHF) '31

RED DOMINION - Garnet-red self. Orange beard. HM '31

RHEINTOCHTOR - S. White flushed lilac. F. Velvety violet-blue.

SENSATION - Clear light blue. Heavy substance.

SHAH JEHAN - A blending of seven colors. Bronze Medal IS(E) '33 AM(RHS) '38 AM '37

SIR GALAHAD - Pansy violet self. Fragrant.

SIR MICHAEL - S. Light blue. F. Rich red-brown suffused purple. AM (RHS) '29 AM (Haarlem) '30

TALISMAN - Blend of red, yellow, pink and chamois. CM IS(E) '30

THE BLACK DOUGLAS - Black purple HM '36

THEODOLINDA - White plicata stitched blue-lavender.

VALOR - Blackish blue-violet AM '36

VENUS de MILO - Clear snow white. Large flower AM'35

VISION - S. Clear yellow. F. Brown CM & Spec. Prize (SNHF) '32

WACONDA - Deep red self. HM '31

WAR EAGLE - S. Light rose-red near pink. F. Dahlia-carmine

WINNIESHIEK - Rich blue and purple bicolor.

WONDERCHILD - Deep pansy-purple.

## THE 100 FAVORITE IRISES OF 1952.

The thirteenth annual symposium of the American Iris Society has been prepared on an entirely new basis. In previous years only the judges of the Society voted. This year all of the members of the Society were invited to take part and over eleven hundred members sent in their lists of 100 favorites. It is interesting to note that this symposium made by the members, and that of last year made by 262 judges, are very nearly alike. While the rank varies in some instances, the lists as a whole contain the same varieties. Ninety-three varieties on the 1951 list are included in the 1952 list.

1 Ola Kala

2 Sable

3 Great Lakes

4 Blue Rhythm

5 Blue Shimmer

6 Lady Mohr

7 Elmohr

8 Chivalry

9 Snow Flurry

10 Solid Mahogany

11 Pink Cameo

12 Wabash

13 Master Charles

14 Minnie Colquitt

15 Bryce Canyon

16 Mulberry Rose

17 Amigo 18 Ranger

19 Helen McGregor

20 Azure Skies

21 Cascade Splendor

22 Amandine 23 Chantilly

24 New Snow

25 Cherie

26 Prairie Sunset 27 Grand Canyon

28 Berkeley Gold

29 Rocket 30 Tiffanja

31 The Red Douglas

32 The Admiral 33 Dreamcastle

33 Dreamcastle

34 Lady Boscawen

35 Pinnacle

36 China Maid

37 Argus Pheasant

38 Cloth of Gold

39 Katherine Fay 40 Casa Morena

41 Sylvia Murray

42 Missouri

43 Ormohr

44 Gloriole 45 Gudrun

46 Three Oaks

47 Tiffany

48 Vatican Purple

49 Desert Song

50 Lynn Langford

51 Elsa Sass

52 Extravaganza

53 Treasure Island

54 Black Forest

55 Fair Elaine

56 Matterhorn

57 Firecracker

58 Spanish Peaks
59 Moonlight Madonna

59 Moonlight Madonn 60 Tobacco Road

61 Los Angeles 62 Distance

63 City of Lincoln

64 Cloud Castle

65 Harriet Thoreau

66 Blue Valley

67 Golden Fleece

68 Garden Glory 69 Winter Carnival

70 Chamois

71 Pink Formal

72 Sharkskin 73 Sierra Blue

74 Arab Chief 75 Lothario

76 Spun Gold 77 Mexico

78 Louvois 79 Gypsy

80 Ming Yellow 81 Golden Majesty

82 Golden Treasure

83 Shining Waters

84 Bandmaster 85 Fantasy

86 Daybreak 87 Goldbeater

88 Pierre Menard

89 Violet Symphony

90 Zantha

91 Snow Carnival

92 Pretty Quadroon

93 Old Parchment

94 Arctic

95 Golden Russet

96 Lighthouse 97 The Capitol

98 Miss California

99 Christabel 100 Priscilla

### DYKES MEMORIAL MEDAL

Often referred to as "the aristocrats of irisdom", winners of this medal are much sought after by collectors and iris enthusiasts. We list all varieties that have won the "Dykes Medal" from the American Iris Society, and also include some that have won a similar award in England and France. For easy reference we repeat them in chronological order.

## American Iris Society Dykes Medal Awards

1.	incircan ins bociety	Dynes	Micual Awalus
Year	Variety	Year	Variety
1927	San Francisco	1942	Great Lakes
1929	Dauntless	1943	Prairie Sunset
1932	Rameses	1944	Spun Gold
1933	Coralie	1945	Elmohr
1935	Sierra Blue	1947	Chivalry
1936	Mary Geddes	1948	Ola Kala
1937	Missouri	1949	Helen McGregor
1938	Copper Lustre	1950	Blue Rhythm
1939	Rosy Wings	1951	Cherie
1940	Wabash	1952	Argus Pheasant
1941	The Red Douglas		

## Other Dykes Winners

Year	Awarded by	Variety		
1928	SNH France	Pluie D'Or		
1930	IS Eng	Depute Nomblot		
1931	IS Eng	Gudrun		
1933	SNH France	Alice Harding		
1933	IS Eng	Coralie		
1934	SNH France	Madame Louis Aureau		
1935	IS Eng	Mary Geddes		
1938	IS Eng	Copper Lustre		

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If you would like to learn more about iris we suggest you join THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY. This society exists for the sole purpose of promoting the culture and improvement of iris. Membership in the Society brings you quarterly bulletins full of interesting information about iris and some of the people who grow them in almost every State and Country. Regular membership dues are \$4.00 per year or \$10.50 for three years. Just send your check direct to THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY, Franklin Road, Brentwood, Tenn.

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